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Transient advertisements, 50c per inch, first insertion; 25c per inch each additional insertion. Special rates on yearly contracts.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS.**For State Senator.**

We are authorized to announce HON. A. R. BENNETT as a candidate for State Senator from the Seventh Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce E. L. STEVENS as a candidate for State Senator, from the Seventh Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce D. BAKER RHOADS as a candidate for State Senator from the Seventh Senatorial district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce F. L. RANDER as a candidate for Clerk Ohio Circuit Court, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce E. C. BARRANS as a candidate for Clerk Ohio Circuit Court, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce DR. A. D. PARK as a candidate for Representative from Ohio county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce GEO. M. MADON as a candidate for Representative from Ohio county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE BAKER as a candidate for Representative from Ohio county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

THE Populist party no longer has a representative in the National Congress.

JUDON Cantrill has dissolved the injunction sued out by Committee-man Meacham to prevent the holding of a State primary.

Is a superb article on American politics, in the January Forum, Henry Leitchfield West, predicts the nomination of Senator Gorman, of Maryland, for the Democratic nomination for President in 1904.

Four centuries ago the Caucasian set up his government in the New World by the side of the Red man, but within the next twelve months the experience of the Indian as a nation will pass out for all time. By the end of 1903 the last of the Red man's land will be allotted in severalty and the last of him will become a citizen of the United States.

The robbery of Dave Duke, an Ontonagon farmer, in Owensboro, Ky., by a gang of local thugs, was the occasion of an order by Chief of Police, who without visible effort, a livelihood, must leave town in post-haste. Personal notice was served on about a hundred loafers and idlers about town, including several professional gamblers.

It has been suggested to us that we did an injustice to Messrs. M. L. Heavrin and W. H. Barnes in our editorial some time ago, referring to the sale of indictments in the Ohio Circuit Court. We take pleasure in correcting any impression of that character that may have resulted.

The people of the county are aware, that as County Attorney, these gentlemen executed their duties faithfully. County Attorney has no disposition of indictments and had no thought of introducing them in our article.

The Republican County Committee, which met here Monday and called a county convention to nominate candidates for Circuit Court Clerk and Representative, had a harmonious meeting. All the candidates at interest, except Dr. Park, were present, and agreed upon the time and manner of holding the convention as set out in the call in another column. The action of the convention, which was but an official ratification of the agreement of the candidates, was, of course, entirely satisfactory to them. Each of the gentlemen announced is a loyal Republican and a man of high character, who will make an honorable canvass and accept the result as a man of honor.

Our candidacy for Governor is booming right along. From every quarter we are receiving assurances of support and good will. But we're not surprised at this; in fact, we were expecting it. We're a political philosopher, and know just how to be a leader in politics. The plan is simple and we've no patent on it. To be a leader, one needs only to be a man whom the people are willing to follow. We did and the boys are falling each other to follow us. Just look at the Hartford Herald! It says it is for us, and why shouldn't it? Beckham stands for the same things we do, but is afraid to speak out plain about it like we did, and the Herald likes a fellow that calls a spade a spade. The majority in old Kentucky are in favor of the plan.

form we stand on and if we are elected the old State is chuck full of hypocrites. But why speculate about it; we're going to win!

A STRANGE state of affairs obtains at the town of Indianola, Miss. A negro woman was post-mistress there. By threats and intimidations, on account of her color, the post-mistress was driven from the town. President Roosevelt, who knows no other qualification for holding office than duty well done, ordered the postoffice discontinued. The Democratic patrons of the Indianola office were not prepared for this sort of punishment for their disorderly conduct, and raised a howl. But Teddy has heard howls before, and with a "what are you going to do about it" sort of composition, lets the howl go on. The President says he can see no good reason why capable colored people may not enjoy the privilege of holding office especially where they form a large per cent. of the population, and his novel method of punishing those guilty of hounding a Federal officeholder, because of her color, has struck terror to the hearts of the negro-hating Southern Democrats, and still the Hartford Herald urges the negro that it is against his interest to vote the Republican ticket.

THE outlook for Republican success in 1904 is very encouraging. The Democratic party, as at present organized, stands for no positive, constructive policy, and, indeed, for no policy at all that commands the confidence of capitalists, agriculturalists or laborers, nor has it evolved leaders, whom the business interests of the country will trust. On the other hand, six years of administration of National affairs by the Republicans, early brought about and steadily maintained a condition of prosperity never before equaled in the country's history. But within the period mentioned there has grown up a system of combining capital into enormous funds for the conducting of gigantic business enterprises that must create a problem with which the world's statesmen have not had to deal before and for dealing with which the world has little stores of experience, upon which they may draw. These large combinations of capital—popularly called trusts—make it possible to manufacture and distribute the necessities of life much more cheaply than could be done before, but the danger lies in their ability to fix the price of their commodities at a rate unfair to the consumer. The control of this possibility is the greatest, if not the only grave public question which will be called upon to deal, and if this task is rightly performed, the re-election of President Roosevelt is assured.

LET'S NOT FORGET.

Let us not forget that there were no trusts until there was a Republican party—Hartford Herald.

Let us not forget, also, that there was no wealth in this country until there was a Republican party.

That there was no Federal Government worthy of the name until there was a Republican party.

That there was no freedom from human slavery until there was a Republican party.

That there was no development of the country until there was a Republican party.

That there was no government honored at home and respected abroad until there was a Republican party.

THE ROAD QUESTION.
This is the season of the year when an improvement in the road system is apparent to the least observing. To our way of seeing it, the only suitable and effective system of maintaining public highways, is to collect a road fund by taxation and have it expended under the supervision of a practical engineer. It is always difficult to convince the public that an increase in taxation will be a benefit, but we believe that if the people could be made to understand fully the benefits of a road tax, judiciously expended, and the proper distribution of the burden of road-building, which would result, they would favor it. Under our present system the male citizens between eighteen and fifty years of age, bear almost the entire burden of our road working.

Bank stocks and deposits amounting to \$400,000, railroads in the country worth \$100,000, other corporations worth \$150,000, incorporated towns, with property valued at \$250,000, the whole amounting to about a million of dollars, or one-third the total wealth of the country, and none of it owned by the 18 to 50 men, contributes practically nothing to building and maintaining our public roads. If we take into account the property owned by citizens over the fifty-year limit, we find that more than half of the total wealth of the country contributes nothing toward keeping up our roads.

When the road-working population which constitutes four-fifths of our voting population, get to understand that they can cut their burden of road-working one-half by voting a tax for road purposes, we confidently believe they will do so. We hope our

readers will take this matter up and write for these columns their views on the road question. We will give the space for that purpose cheerfully.

WASTED WEALTH.

Did you ever think of what wondrous wealth the millions waste by idleness? There are in this country 80,000,000 of people who labor. Estimate their labor at \$1.00 a day each, one day's idleness is a waste of \$80,000,000. Given an idleness of thirty days each in a year—and this estimate is far too low—and we have a total of \$90,000,000 of wasted wealth every year.

This stupendous amount of wasted wealth would, if garnered, in a single year pay off the national debt; it would buy all the stock of the Morgan steel trust, the magnitude of whose capital startled the world; it would irrigate the great wastes of the West and make additional homes within our borders for forty millions of people; it would maintain five missionaries for every five square miles of heathen lands of earth, but, more and better still, it would comfortably feed and clothe the Nation's poor. But, like Tennyson's brook, this waste will run on forever.

Deaths of Prominent Men. 1902.
John P. Altgeld, Illinois, March 12.
Gen. Wade Hampton, South Carolina, April 11.
T. DeWitt Talmage, Washington, April 12.
J. Sterling Morton, Iowa, April 27.
Petter Palmer, Chicago, May 4.
Archbishop Carrigan, New York, May 5.
Rear Admiral Wm. T. Sampson, May 6.
Lord Pauncefoot, British Ambassador to America, May 24.
John W. Mackay, capitalist, July 20.
Emile Zola, French novelist, September 29.
Thomas Nast, famous cartoonist, December 27.
Mrs. U. S. Grant, December 27.
Mrs. Jessie Fremont, widow of Jno. C. Fremont, December 27.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
By virtue of Execution No. 2,002 directed to men, which issued from the Clerk's office of the Ohio Circuit Court, in favor of the Ohio County Bank against Wm. DeHart, I, or one of my Deputies, will on Monday, the 2nd day of February, 1903, between the hours of 1 o'clock p. m. and 5 o'clock p. m., at the Court House door in Hartford, Ohio county, Ky., expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, the following property, (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy Plaintiff's debt, interest and costs) to-wit: One house and lot of ground in the town of Horse Branch, Ohio county, Ky., bounded on the east by the land of Wm. Awtry, on the south by the land of the L. C. R. R., on the west by the land of the heirs of W. M. Miller, on the north by the land of Walker Myrtle, subject to mortgage debt of J. J. Tiltford, levied upon as the property of Wm. DeHart.

TERMS:—Sale will be made on a credit of 3 months bond with approved security required, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from day of sale, and having the force and effect of a sale bond.

Witness my hand, this 7th day of January, 1903. CAL P. KEOWN, Sheriff Ohio Co., Ky.

By R. L. Doyd, D. S. 2513

FORDSVILLE.
Miss Marion Adair has returned from a visit to her grandparents in Hawesville.

Mr. Robert Arms, who has been with Wilson & Shrewsbury, has resigned his position and gone to Shrewsbury.

Messrs. Willie and Frank Graham, of Narrows, were the guests of their sister, Mrs. Mack Smith, Friday night and Saturday.

Miss Flora Tiltford, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Tiltford, has returned to Lorretto Academy to resume her studies.

Mr. Henry Carter, of Narrows, was here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Walker, of Kirk, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Renfrow, at Narrows, last week, and also spent a few days here with Mr. Walker's mother.

A protracted meeting is in progress at the Methodist church here, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Walker and Rev. Smith, a well known evangelist.

Mr. S. K. Allen has sold his stock of groceries to Abraham Shapiro.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham, of Narrows, were here Sunday to see Mr. and Mrs. Mack Smith.

Mr. Arthur Smith, of Glendale, spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, Jr.

Mr. Fred Cooper is on the sick list. Miss Alice Black, of Reynolds, was in town Monday.

Mr. C. P. Haswell, of the Carter Dry Goods House, of Louisville, was here a few days this week selling to his customers a beautiful line of spring goods.

School opens Monday with prospects for a fine spring term. Many have signified their intention of coming here to take advantage of the splendid course offered by the faculty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Renfrow, of Narrows, visited Mrs. Renfrow's mother, Mrs. Walker, here, last week.

A telegram came to Mrs. J. L. Davidson Monday, stating the very ser-

ious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Hills Lloyd in Pittsburg, Ky. Mrs. Davidson and daughter, Miss Ava, left at once for her bedside.

SMALLHOUS.

Revs. G. H. LUTHER and L. Drake, of Centertown, are conducting a protracted meeting at the Smallhous Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin, of Louisville, are the guests of Mrs. Martin's, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bullock.

Mr. John T. Rowe and family spent Christmas in Central City, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. John Buskirk.

Mr. George Bennett, Lexington, Ky., spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett.

Miss Alice Fulkerson, Central City, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fulkerson. She was accompanied home by Misses Fannie Davis and Elsie Withrow, who will spend several days at Central City, visiting friends and relatives.

Messrs. Chester Ross and Luther Addington have returned from a trip to Henderson and Union county.

Quite an enjoyable day was spent at Mr. R. H. Eversly's, December 25th, by about twenty-five persons.

Mr. Andrew Addington has returned from a visit to his brother, Mr. "Doc" Addington, of Indiana.

Mr. Fred Laidrum, who was unfortunate enough to have his leg broken in a wrestle with Albert Robertson, recently, is getting along as well as could be expected.

Miss Ethel Hunter, accompanied by Miss Ida Addington, spent Christmas in Ceralvo, the guests of Miss Hunter's aunt, Mrs. P. L. Wood.

Miss Effie Hufin, of near Centertown, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. William Ball, during the holidays.

Messrs. Clarence Overholser, Owen Hunter, Berry Taylor, Ott Kimbley and Ben Ross will attend school at Hartford this spring.

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable to all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Walding, Kinsman & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 65c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Nicest and freshest line of Cakes and Crackers in Hartford at City Restaurant.

Free Cure for Sick Headache.
Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are a certain cure for sick headache. If taken as soon as the first indication of the disease appears they will prevent the attack. Get a free sample at all druggists drug store and give them a trial!

GENERAL NEWS.
The Crown Princess of Saxony has abandoned her husband and children as well as the future Queen of her country and eloped with a cheap French music teacher.

Judge A. R. Burnam, of the Fifth Appellate district, succeeds Judge Guffy as Chief Justice of Kentucky's highest court.

One hundred citizens in and about Hawesville, Hancock county, will form an immigrant party to Hasson, Indian Territory. Hasson is a new town in Indian Territory, projected and chiefly owned by William Hasson, a former Kentuckian, who organized the Kentucky band of immigrants to build up his town.

"Topsy," a six-ton elephant who had killed three of her keepers and showed a thirst for more blood, was electrocuted in New York Sunday.

Kentucky has 3 1/2 oil wells.

In his New Year's sermon at Baltimore, Cardinal Gibbons said that the Catholic church in America was represented by 100 Bishops, 12,500 priests and 14,000,000 members.

Richard Ernst has announced that he will not be a candidate for Governor.

The Democratic State Central Committee calculates the cost of the State primary at \$16,000.

An office building in New York City, now in process of construction, will be 337 feet high.

An original copy of the old New England primer, sold, a few days ago, for \$250.

The great New York banker, Morgan, is reported to have offered \$30,000,000 for a French nobleman for a son-in-law.

Tom Campbell has moved for a rehearing before the Court of Appeals of the new trial recently granted Caleb Powers.

A Bad Breath
A bad breath means a bad stomach, a bad digestion, a bad liver. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, sick headache.

25c. All druggists.

Want your mouthache or throat a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use the BUCKINGHAM DYE for Whiskers.

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An Ancient Foe

To health and happiness is herola—as ugly as ever since time immemorial. It causes hunches in the neck, disfigures the skin, inflames the mucous membrane, wastes the muscles, weakens the bones, reduces the power of resistance to disease and the capacity for recovery, and develops into consumption.

"A bunch appeared on the left side of my neck. It caused great pain, was lanced, and became a running sore. I went into a general decline. I was persuaded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and when I had taken six bottles my neck was healed, and I have never had any trouble of the kind since."

Man. K. F. Sisson, Troy, Ohio.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills
will rid you of it, radically and permanently, as they have rid thousands.

Quarterly Report of the OHIO CO. BANK

At the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1902.

RESOURCES.
Loans and Discounts . . . \$46,645.34
Overdrafts Secured . . . 1,347.71
Overdrafts Unsecured . . . 79.88
Due from National Banks . . . 15,474.42
Due from State Banks and Bankers . . . 00
Due from Trust Companies . . . 00
Banking House and lot . . . 5,000.00
Other Real Estate . . . 1,565.60
Mortgages . . . 00
U. S. Bonds . . . 00
Other Stocks and Bonds . . . 11,655.13
Specie . . . 3,156.65
Currency . . . 3,495.00
Exchange for Clearings . . . 1,735.80
Other items carried as Cash . . . 123.61
Furniture and Fixtures . . . 590.00
Fund to pay Taxes . . . 00
Current Expenses last Quarter . . . 00
Debts in Suit . . . 425.86
Total . . . \$91,783.00

LIABILITIES.
Capital Stock paid in, in Cash . . . \$10,000.00
Surplus Fund . . . 4,000.00
Undivided Profits . . . 79.23
Due Depositors as follows:
vix:
Deposits subject to Check (on which interest is not paid) . . . 19,770.52
Deposits subject to Check (on which interest is paid) . . . 00
Demand Certificates of deposit (on which interest is paid) . . . 00
Time Certificates of deposit (on which interest is paid) . . . \$9,327.12
Savings Deposits (on which interest is paid) . . . 00
Certified Checks . . . 00
Due National Banks . . . 00
Due State Banks and Bankers . . . 215.13
Due Trust Companies . . . 00
Cashier's Checks outstanding . . . 00
Bills re-discounted . . . 2,936.00
Unpaid Dividends . . . 00
Taxes due and unpaid . . . 00
Capital Stock not paid . . . 00
Total . . . \$91,783.00

SUPPLEMENTARY.
Highest amount of indebtedness of any stock holder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm, the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent. of the capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus in the bank . . . \$1,213.14

How is indebtedness stated in above item secured? (see section 583 Kentucky statutes) Mortgages and insurance policies.

Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent. of paid up capital stock of bank (see section 583 Kentucky statutes) None.

How is same secured?
Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm (including the liability of the individual members thereof) exceed 30 per cent. of paid up capital and actual surplus? No.
If so state such amount of indebtedness.

Amount of last dividend . . . \$500.00
Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring dividend, and was not less than 10 per cent. of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried by the surplus fund before said dividend was declared? Yes. (See section 595 Ky. statutes.)

STATE OF KENTUCKY, ss
COUNTY OF OHIO, ss
I, S. K. Cox, proprietor of the Ohio County Bank, a Bank located and doing business in the town of Hartford, in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said Bank at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1902, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said Bank has been transacted at the location named and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 31st day of December, 1902, as the day on which such report shall be made.

S. K. Cox, Proprietor.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by S. K. Cox, this 1st day of January, 1903.

L. WALKER, N. P. O. C. Ky.

My commission expires Jan 17 1906

Louisville Market.

Choice to prime shipping steers . . . \$5.50 @ 5.05
Medium to good steers . . . 4.75 @ 5.00
Choice butcher steers . . . 4.00 @ 4.35
Medium to good butchers . . . 3.50 @ 4.00
Common to medium . . . 3.00 @ 3.25
Canners . . . 1.25 @ 1.35
Good to choice feeders . . . 3.75 @ 4.00
Common to medium . . . 3.25 @ 3.75
Good to extra stock steers . . . 3.25 @ 3.50
Common to medium . . . 2.25 @ 3.00
Good to choice stock heifers . . . 3.00 @ 3.25
Plain light stock steers . . . 2.25 @ 2.50
Good to choice bulls . . . 3.00 @ 3.25
Medium to good bulls . . . 2.25 @ 3.00
Choice veal calves . . . 6.25 @ 6.75
Com. to med. div. calves . . . 4.75 @ 5.50
Choice to med. milch . . . 00
Cows . . . 45.00 @ 50.00
Medium to good . . . 25.00 @ 35.00
Plain com. milch . . . 20.00 @ 25.00

HOGS.
Choice packing butchers, 200 to 300 lbs . . . 6.70
Med. packers 160 to 200 . . . 6.30
Choice light 120 to 160 . . . 6.30
Choice pigs, 90 to 120 . . . 6.00
G. o. pigs, 50 to 90 . . . 5.75
Roughs, 150 to 500 . . . 5.50 @ 6.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS.
Good to extra shipping . . . 2.75 @ 3.00
Fair to good . . . 2.50 @ 2.75
Common to medium . . . 1.75 @ 2.25
Bucks . . . 1.50 @ 2.25

THE GRAIN MARKET.
Wheat—No. 2 77c; No. 3 75c; rejected 2@2 1/2c; on levee 1 1/2c. Corn—White 64c; mixed 63 1/2c; yellow 62c.
Oats—White 37c; mixed 29 1/2c.
The prices for wheat are those paid by dealers; the quotations for corn, oats and rye are selling prices.

THE PROVISIONS MARKET.
Mess Pork—\$16.50.
Hams—Choice sugar-cured, light and special cure 12 1/2 @ 14 1/2c; heavy to medium 13 @ 13 1/2c.
Bacon—Clear r. b. sides 11 1/2c; regular clear sides 11 1/2c; packed; breakfast bacon 14 1/2c; "angar-cured" shoulders 10 1/2c; bacon, extra 11 1/2c.
Lard—Prime steam in tierces 10 1/2c; choice leaf in tierces 11 1/2c; in tubs 11 1/2c; pure leaf lard in tierces 12 1/2c; in urkins 12 1/2c.
Bulk Meats—Ribs 11 1/2c; regular clear sides 11 1/2c; extra short 10 1/2c.

Cured
At 70 of Heart Disease Contracted
During Civil War—
Veteran Grateful.
Dr. Miles' Heart Cure Effected Cure.

Heart disease is curable, but in people of advanced age it does not readily lend itself to ordinary treatment. There is, however, hope for all sufferers in Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, which we know from watching hundreds of cases and from the letters of grateful sufferers, will cure where all else has failed. It is not only a wonderful cure for weak and diseased hearts, but it is a blood tonic, a regulator of the heart's action and the most effective treatment ever formulated for improving the circulation of the blood.

"During the Civil War I contracted heart disease, and in 1864, while living in the grand old town of Lexington, Va., I grew so much worse, I left there with my wife to visit my sister-in-law, Mrs. T. A. Kirby, at Roanoke, Va. While I said nothing to anyone I never expected to live to return to the dear old town. On reaching Mrs. Kirby's she insisted I should try Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. I procured a few bottles of it, also the Nervine and Tonic. After using one or two bottles, I could see no improvement, and I despaired of ever being better, but my faithful wife insisted on keeping it up, which I did. Improvement soon began in earnest and I took in all fifteen or sixteen bottles. I was restored to perfect health and while I am 70 years old, I am comparatively a boy. You are a benefactor, and I cheerfully recommend Dr. Miles' Heart Cure to suffering humanity."—J. L. SLAUGHTER, Salem, Va.

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There's nothing the matter with my business. I have the Cumberland Telephone in my residence and place of business. My business has increased, and my wife's voice is never heard to tremble about the Telephone. Yours for good service and gentlemanly competition.

C. P. NOWLIN, Man'r.

JAMES REYNOLDS,
Proprietor.

Billiousness Makes Chronic Invalids.
When the liver is torpid, and fails to do its work, the bile enters the blood as a virulent poison. Then comes constipation, biliousness, sick headache, fevers and malaria. The only treatment that gives the liver just the right touch and starts Nature's work is the right manner is
RAMON'S LIVER PILLS
AND TONIC PELLETS
The pill touches the liver, and the pellets tone the system.
25 doses for 25 days cost 25 cents, and unless your case is exceedingly bad, you will be well before you finish them.
Sample free. For sale at all dealers.

For sale by J. H. Williams, Druggist, Hartford, Ky.

The Season's Greeting!
We wish to extend the compliments of the season to all our customers and friends, and assure them that during the year 1903 our efforts in their behalf shall be unrelenting. We shall be well equipped to serve them in the best possible manner, and so keep up our record of the past.
E. P. Barnes & Bro.,
Beaver Dam, Ky.

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Some Specials for January

Children's Fleeced Hose.

Fast Vicuna black, correct winter weight, ribbed leg and plain foot, seamless knit. Cheapest fleeced-lined Hose ever offered. All sizes. Our special price is 20c, two pair, 35c.

Ladies' Knit Underwear.

Elastic ribbed unbleached vest, soft fleeced inside surface and elastic shaped waist, full shaped shoulders and sleeves, elastic cuffs, a regular 35c garment; our special price, 25c.

Special in Comforts and Blankets.

Our genuine wool filled Comforts, extra large, heavy weight, straight lockstitched ends, fancy patterns of beautiful floral designs. Everybody's price, \$1.25; our special, \$1.

Our 10-4 white fleeced Blankets, soft finish, long nap, blue, red and pink patterns, at 60c per pair. These are regular 75c qualities. We also show you better grades at from \$1.25 to \$5.00 per pair.

Special in Men's and Boys' Overcoats.

Men's heavy all-wool Oxford-mixture Ulsters, large storm collar, fancy plaid lining, piped facing, a garment that any man should feel proud of, sold everywhere for \$7.50. Our special price is \$5.00.

Men's all-wool, black Beaver, French faced, with velvet collar, satin piped—who ever heard of such a garment for less than \$8.00? Our price is \$5.

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets.

Our Ladies' three-quarter Coat, made of a fine quality of Beaver, 42 inches long, newest sleeves, satin-lined, flap pockets, a regular \$10.00 garment. Our special price, \$8.48. We also have these garments much cheaper, running from \$2.50 to \$7.50—excellent values.

Besides these specials, we have a house full of big Bargains in Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Fancy Dress Goods, Hats, etc. We are headquarters for all the leading Novelties. Hoping to have a liberal share of your patronage in 1903, and thanking you for past favors, we are,

Yours Truly, **FAIR & CO.**

We Bought Our Goods to

Sell; we bought them at prices we can afford to sell, and the people can afford to buy. We went to the markets and hunted for BARGAINS and we are going to give them to our customers. Competition in the sale of Dry Goods is sharp and the merchant who offers the best goods for the least money is going to get the trade. We had this idea in mind when we bought our goods, and here we are with the

Best Goods for the Least Money

Ever sold in Hartford. Don't take our word for it, but come in and see for yourself. Your merchant goes to the market for you and if he pays high prices for his goods, he has to charge you high prices for them. We have what you want at prices you want. Come and see for yourself.

Yours for trade,

SAM BACH, - Hartford, Ky.

Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9.

There was a man in our town.
Who would not advertise.
But now his goods are advertised.
The "ad." is not in unparallel,
And thereby hangs a tale.
See the "Hartford's Tale."

For, pay cash for Fur.

Yets now going at cost at

Restaurant for every

Mrs. Fred at

President's Council

After my

doctor got

on S. T. Barnett & Co. for

us, pay cash for Fur.

Restaurant has the nicest line

of

Free Oysters and Celery always on

head at City Restaurant.

Schroeter's Floating Studio will

leave Hartford, February 1, 1903.

Fruits and Nuts of all kinds

constantly on hand at City Restaurant.

Call on W. S. Tinsley for fresh

family Groceries, Hardware and Roof-

ing.

Who is the most popular young

lady in Ohio county? She will be

given a fine rubber-tire buggy free by

THE HARTFORD REPUBLICAN and

Clothing for everybody and at low

prices that will surprise you. Carson

& Co. is the place.

Who is the most popular young

lady in Ohio county? See the answer in

another part of this paper.

Mr. Dudley Ford, of the Pleasant

Ridge country, has bought and moved

into the Baird property near the water

mill.

Mr. R. B. Martin, of Cromwell, is

the proud father of a ten pound boy.

The young man arrived in this country

last Saturday.

100 votes in our rubber-tire buggy

contest and THE HARTFORD REPUBLICAN

and Twice-a-Week Owensboro

Inquirer, one year, all for only \$1.50.

Mrs. Alfred Phillips died of grip at

his residence, near Adaburg, Friday,

and was buried at Barnett's Creek

church. Mr. Phillips is very low of

pneumonia.

A son of Mr. Doc Townsend, whose

name we did not learn, died in the

Crane Pond neighborhood. His death

was thought to be due to cigarette

smoking.

I have opened up Jewelry and

Watch-making headquarters in the

City Restaurant, Hartford, and am

prepared to do all kinds of work in

my line. All work guaranteed ac-

cording to contract. I am located

here permanently and will appreciate

your patronage. Will Stevens

Groceries of all kinds a

fresh at Carson & Co's

free de-

livery.

Mr. R. M. Walker, who has been

very sick for four weeks, is slowly

improving.

Get your "up-to-date" meals or

lunches when in Hartford, at City

Restaurant.

Mr. J. S. R. Wedding and Prof. T.

J. Morton have exchanged residences

and both moved yesterday.

Mr. Guy Williams, who spent

Christmas with his parents here, left

Monday for his home at Philadelphia.

His mother, Mrs. G. B. Williams, ac-

companied him as far as Louisville.

Ladies, we know that Bargains are

what you want, and we also know

that many ladies are yet in need of

Jackets. We are now closing out our

Jackets at wholesale prices. Come

and see.

CARSON & CO.

The County Board of Tax Super-

visors met Monday and will be in

session eight days. The members of

the Board are: J. D. Holbrook, W.

M. Addington, Tom Wallace, Warren

Taylor and Chel Wedding. Mr.

Sam Leach, of Cromwell, is clerk.

Mr. J. J. Bazzell, an industrious

and respected citizen, died of paraly-

sis at his residence, near town, Wed-

nesday, and was buried with Masonic

honors in Oakwood cemetery yester-

day. Mr. Bazzell was a useful citi-

zen and his death is a loss to the com-

munity. He leaves a wife and several

children.

Mr. Oscar Armstrong died at the

home of his father, near Shreve,

January 5, and was buried in

Pleasant Grove cemetery on the 6th.

He lived in Owensboro and had come

to his father's home to be treated by

the family physician for bright's dis-

ease. He was a highly respected

young man. He leaves a wife and one

child.

Oscar King died of typhoid fever at

China, Tex., December 29. Mr.

King was a son of Mr. John King, of

Pleasant, and went to Texas last spring

to work in the rice fields there. The

young man's body was embalmed and

brought home for burial. Oscar was

a bright and industrious boy and his

death, far from home, falls heavily on

his parents.

We have just received a new lot of

remnant Calico. These bolts contain

five, to yards all in one piece, and 3

yards one-fourth to 2 yards long, and

sell at \$1 per bolt. So you can de-

pend upon one good dress pattern be-

ing in ever bolt. We will guarantee

that you will find ten yards of same

kind, all in one piece.

CARSON & CO.

One of the prettiest incidents of the

holiday was the fruit supper at the

New Commercial last night. Those

present were: A. E. Cottrell and

Eloise Warriner, Chester Stevens and

Florence Morton, Alvin Patin and

Eva Brown, E. B. Birkhead and Is-

rael Cox, R. H. Hankins and Mabel

Hubbard, J. M. DuWesse and Mary

Smith.

Dr. E. W. Ford has shown us some

X-ray photographs of the bony part

of the anatomy of a couple of our col-

ored citizens showing the location of

some leaden presents their enemies

had made them. Wash Duncan has

a pistol ball near the base of the brain

plainly visible in the photograph; and

a colored man named Edson has a

ball imbedded in his brain. Evidently

he thinks "hard" of the fellow who

put it there. These pictures are rather

gruesome spectacles, but interest-

ing nevertheless.

In this issue of THE REPUBLICAN

will be found the announcement of

Mr. Silas L. Stevens, of Cromwell,

for the nomination of the R-republican

party for State Senator. Mr. Stevens

has been conspicuously connected

with the Republican organization in

Ohio county for twenty years and is

well known to the voters of the county.

He is a faithful, untiring worker for

his party, a gentleman of high char-

acter and is well fitted for the office

to which he aspires. He nominated

Mr. Stevens will make a strong can-

didate, as well as a faithful and ef-

ficient Senator when elected.

Ten pounds good roast-

ed coffee for \$1. at the

New Cash Grocery. Try

it.

Double-barrel Breech-load-

ing Shot Guns, and all sorts

of Guns, at Carson Bros.

Get a free sample of Chamberlain's

Stomach and Liver Tablets at all

druggists drug store. They are cas-

ier to take and more pleasant in ef-

fect than pills. Then their use is not

followed by constipation as is often

the case with pills. Regular 25c, 25c

per box.

Birthday Dinner.

X-mas day was the birthday of Mr.

R. J. Duff, of the children and

near relatives thought it fitting to ob-

serve his 65th birthday with a dinner

to his honor. All preparations had

been made for an excellent repast,

consisting of two large turkeys and

fruits and all things to make an ex-

cellent dinner. All those who were

present for dinner were related either

by marriage or blood to Mr. Duff, ex-

cept Miss Lena Bennett and Mrs.

Mary J. Hoover. There were forty-

nine present besides the immediate

family. Quite a pleasant day was

spent, renewing old acquaintances

and talking over events of by-gone

days.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Capt. S. K. Cox was in Owensboro

this week.

Mr. T. H. Hines, Rosine, called on

us Monday.

Mr. Silas Stevens, Cromwell, called

on us Monday.

Mr. H. L. Taylor, Rochester, called

on us Monday.

Mr. A. D. Buskill, of Crowley, La.,

is visiting here.

Mr. G. M. Maddox, Rockport, was

in town Monday.

Mr. Ed Barrasa, Taylor Mines, was

in town Monday.

Mr. John H. Davis, of Taffy, called

to see us Monday.

Mr. R. L. Boyd, Horse Branch, was

in town this week.

Mr. E. E. Rogers, Cromwell, called

at this office Monday.

Mr. George Baker, Taylor Mines,

was in town Monday.

Mr. Clyde Wedding, of Louisville,

was in town Wednesday.

Mr. J. J. Tilford, Fordville, was

among our callers Monday.

Hon. A. S. Bennett, Buford, was in

town the first of the week.

Mr. J. H. Roberts, Fordville, was

in town the first of the week.

Misses Catherine Collins and Golda

Moseley were in Louisville Tuesday.

Misses Mattie and Martine Bennett

went to Owensboro Tuesday to visit

relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fon Rogers, of

Greensburg, are visiting relatives in

the county.

Mr. William Walker, of Lexington,

is at the bedside of his father, Mr. R.

M. Walker.

Mrs. F. L. Felix and children have

returned from a holiday visit in

Louisville.

Master Romney Wedding, of Louis-

ville, is here to visit his father, Judge

R. R. Wedding.

Mr. Ion Barrett, of Barretta Ferry,

is here to attend the spring term of

Hartford College.

Mr. W. G. Hardwick and little

daughter, Miss Marie, were in Ow-

ensboro the first of the week.

Miss Henrietta Gunther returned

yesterday after spending the holidays

with friends in Central City and

Owensboro.

Mr. R. B. Martin, Cromwell, was

